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SUBJECT: SKYHOOK PROJECT

REFERENCES: (A) SANA 740, (B) SANA 964

1. ARP PASSED MESSAGES REFTELS TO UNSWORTH UPON RECEIPT.
UNSWORTH RESPONDED TO REF B BY ASKING DEPARTMENT TO PASS
FOLLOWING TO AMBASSADOR SCOTES:

QUOTE: OUR REPRESENTATIVE, MR. CLAAS COMIJN, WILL BE
ARRIVING IN YEMEN IN THE NEXT 2-3 DAYS WITH SUFFICIENT
FUNDS TO PAY MOST IF NOT ALL CREDITORS IN YEMEN. ALSO WILL
DISCUSS AND FINALIZE DETAILS OF SITE NEGOTIATIONS WITH
GOVERNMENT OF YEMEN. MEANWHILE, OUR EFFORTS FOR REFINANC-
ING ARE PROGRESSING EXTREMELY WELL AND HOPE TO FINALIZE BY
END OF MARCH. TO AVOID FURTHER DELAY IN RE-STARTING OF
SYSTEM, PLEASE PERSUADE CITIBANK AND CASSIM TO ARRANGE
RETURN OF DAMAGED BALLOON. SIGNED COLIN UNSWORTH. END
QUOTE.

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2. FYI: OTHER THAN NOTING THAT COLIN AND UNSWORTH HAD
HAD SOME DIFFICULTIES IN ARRANGING FINANCING, BUT THAT "WE
HAVE NOW MANAGED TO PULL OUR ACT TOGETHER," UNSWORTH HAD
NO COMMENTS ON REFTELS.

3. ASIDE FROM ARTICLE IN JANUARY 1978 ISSUE OF MIDDLE
EAST TRANSPORT (BEING POUCHED TO POST), DEPARTMENT AND

USDOC HAVE LITTLE INFO ON FIRM WITH WHICH TO RESPOND TO
REQUEST FOR RUNDOWN (PARA 3, REF A). CREDIT AGENCY REPORT
NOT AVAILABLE; SUBJECT FIRM INVESTIGATION UNDER WAY. WILL
CABLE RESULTS.
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